



## Claudia A. Banks

September 9, 1920 - March 23, 2015

Claudia A. Banks of Lindsay, Oklahoma was born on September 9, 1920 in Sevierville, Tennessee to Martin L. and Hester McGaha. She married Alva H. Banks in Sulphur, Oklahoma in 1935. Her husband, Alva, passed away on November 11, 1993 in Lindsay, Oklahoma.

Claudia lived in Lindsay for 73 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Lindsay. She worked as a waitress at Holts Restaurant and as a clerk at the Jiffy Mart in Lindsay. One of her favorite pastimes was playing games on the P.C. Claudia left this world on Monday morning, March 23, 2015 in Marietta, Oklahoma at Mercy Health Center- Love County at the age of 94. She will be missed by all of her family and friends.

Claudia is survived by her daughter, Linda Renick and husband Jim, her son, Roy Banks and wife Faye, her sister, Reba Rodriguez of Concord, California, her brother, Charles McGaha of Chowchilla, California and her grandchildren: Kim Dula and husband James, Melissa Streidl and husband Patrick, Wesley Kenney and wife Debbie and Billy Banks and wife Taylor. She is also survived by six great-grandchildren: Danielle Dula, Jeremy Dula, Kyle Martich, Katherine Kenney, Sebastian Kenney and Sawyer Banks.

Claudia was preceded in death by her husband, Alva Banks, her parents, Martin and Hester McGaha, her twin sister, Maudia, three other sisters, Inez,

Pauline and Lucy and two brothers, Hamlin McGaha and Roy Scott.

Funeral services for Mrs. Banks are set for one o'clock p.m. on Saturday, March 28, 2015 at the B. G. Boydston Funeral Home Chapel, located at 308 S.W. 3rd Street in Lindsay, Oklahoma with Chaplain Steve Robinson officiating. Interment will follow at Green Hill Cemetery in Lindsay, Oklahoma. Services are under the direction of B. G. Boydston Funeral Home of Lindsay, Oklahoma. Condolences may be made to the family online at [www.boydstonfuneralhome.com](http://www.boydstonfuneralhome.com).

# Tribute Wall

GN

“ *What a neat, sweetheart of a lady!! She worked several years for my mom at the Jiffy Mart. Certainly she was so likable that days she worked were consistently top revenue days. Everyone loved her. Rest in peace dear Claudia.*

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**Gayle Noe** - April 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ *Sorry for the loss of your dear mom Claudia I have known her for many years she was a very sweet and happy lady Always a big smile May God comfort you at this time of sorrow .*

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**Leora Cooper** - March 29, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ *<br><br>Mother I am already missing you so much but know you are resting peacefully now.*

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**Linda Banks Renick** - March 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ *I will treasure all the precious memories. I will miss you everyday. I love you Big Mama.*

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**Kim Dula** - March 26, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HH

“ *Was so sorry to hear about Claudia, she was our precious friend and neighbor for years. My kids really enjoy going to her house when they were little. We loved her and Al so much and she will be missed by all. Our prayers are with all of your during this time of loss. May God be with you.*

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**Haskell, Maxine, and David Harvey** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ *I miss you already my precious mother but know you are resting peacefully now...will live on in my heart forever.*

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**Linda Banks Renick** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *I love you Sweet Big Mama...you and Papa can go fish again every day! You will be greatly missed.*

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**Melissa Streidl** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BU

“ *We are so saddened by the loss of a wonderful woman. We are so sorry we cannot be there to represent the John & Viola Tedford family. Please know that we are thinking of you during this difficult time. We love you very much.*

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**Brenda Ullmann** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM